BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 2000-265-C - ORDER NO. 2001-535

JUNE 4, 2001

IN RE:	Application of Birch Telecom of the South,)	ORDER X
	Inc. for a Certificate of Public Convenience)	ORDER APPROVING
	and Necessity to Provide Resold and)	REQUEST
	Facilities-Based Interexchange and Local)	
	Exchange Telecommunications Services)	
	within the State of South Carolina.)	

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (Commission) by way of a letter filed on behalf of Birch Telecom of the South, Inc. (Birch or the Company) which notified the Commission of a request for a modification of the name of the Company.

By letter dated January 24, 2001, the Commission was advised that Birch intended to transact business under the trade names of "Birch Telecom" and "Birch".

Upon consideration of this matter, the Commission finds and concludes that the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity granted to Birch Telecom of the South, Inc. should be amended to reflect the addition of its trade names. The Commission approves the following amendments to the name of the Company:

FROM:

Birch Telecom of the South, Inc.

TO:

Birch Telecom of the South, Inc. d/b/a

Birch Telecom and d/b/a Birch.

The Commission's records will hereby reflect the modification of the name of the Company.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

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ATTEST:

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